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SUBJECT: INGA-SHABA TRANSMISSION LINE

REF: A) KINSHASA 2869; B) KINSHASA 2924

1. APRIL 7 AMBASSADOR ACCOMPANIED MORRISON-KNUDSEN INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT SPENCER AND CIS OFFICIALS ON CALL TO CENTRAL BANK GOVERNOR BOFOSSA TO DISCUSS SHEL LOAN APPLICATION TO EXIM FOR COMPLETION OF INGA-SHABA LINE.

2. SPENCER STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF GOZ MAKING PAYMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH TERMS OF BOFOSSA/LENTZ LETTER AND STATED THAT IF \$2.4 MILLION PAYMENTS DUE IN MARCH AND APRIL WERE NOT RECEIVED BY END OF APRIL, CIS WOULD BE FORCED TO CONSERVE REMAINING FUNDS AND THUS REDUCE OPERATIONS TO ESSENTIALLY MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES. ON THE OTHER HAND, ONCE \$2.4 MILLION DOWN PAYMENTS ARE RECEIVED CIS WILL IMMEDIATELY BEGIN ACCELERATING PROGRAM TO PERMIT COMPLETION OF LINE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TIME SCHEDULE DESCRIBED IN LOAN APPLICATION.

3. BOFOSSA CONFIRMED GOZ HAD OPTED FOR ACCELERATED COMPLETION OF LINE AND WOULD DO ALL POSSIBLE TO ACHIEVE THAT GOAL. HE STATED
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PAYMENT OF 2.4 MILLION DUE IN MARCH, WHICH HAD BEEN DELAYED BY INTERNAL GOZ ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLICATIONS, WOULD BE MADE NEXT WEEK. HE ALSO STATED THAT IN THIRD WEEK OF APRIL HE GOZ' WILL MAKE NEXT PAYMENT OF \$1.2 MILLION TO EXIM AS WELL AS ANOTHER DOWN PAYMENT OF \$2.4 MILLION FOR BENEFIT OF CIS.
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